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In re application of: Ngai et al.

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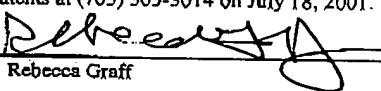
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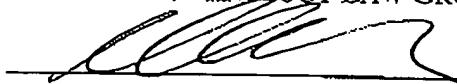
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NOTICE OF APPEALThe Commissioner for Patents
Washington D.C. 20231

Dear Commissioner,

Applicants appeal to the Board of Appeals from the Final Rejection mailed April 20, 2001.

Applicants hereby petition for any necessary extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overcharges relating to this communication to our Deposit Account No. 19-0750 (order no.B00-100-1).

Respectfully submitted,
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